

The Croods
Study Guide
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1. Why does the Crood family live in a cave? What is the father, Grug, afraid of? How does he handle his fears? What are the differences in the ways that Grug and Ugga, his wife, look at the world?
2. Eep has no patience for her father's fears and disobeys him to go exploring. How do Eep and her father finally resolve their issues? When people disagree, even children and parents, what's the best way to find a solution?
3. *The Croods* could have been based on the writings of the philosopher Plato (429–347 B.C.) who wrote, "Parable of the Cave," "Analogy of the Divided Line," and "Metaphor of the Sun." He wanted to convince people of his time to use their abilities to be aware of the world, and to think and find creative ways to survive. Do some research about Plato's allegories and talk about how the character Guy might be compared to Plato.
4. Sr. Rose thinks *The Croods* is a very interesting movie. List three things you liked or didn't like about the movie and briefly explain why:

1. Do you agree with Sister Rose's review of *The Croods*? If your opinion is different, or if Sr. Rose forgot something important, write your own review here: